May 9, 2003

Chris Nelson
Secretary of State
State Capitol, Suite 204
500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501-5010

Dear Mr. Nelson:

I am writing to inform you of our intent to hold a raffle for the South Dakota Rodeo Association. The funds will be used for programs associated with the state rodeo event in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, on October 10 – 13, 2003.

It is our intent to raffle a 2003 Harley Davidson Motorcycle. We are working with Petersen Motors and the North Central Resource Conservation and Development office to help organize this effort. Our goal is to sell 400 tickets at $100 each to raise $40,000. Raffle expenses will be approximately $20,000 leaving us with $20,000 to offset costs associated with our rodeo activities. We will draw for the winner during the final rodeo in Sioux Falls.

I have been told there is a thirty (30) day waiting period from the time we notify you and the City of Pierre before we can begin our raffle effort. I hope this letter can serve as notification. If you have any question or concerns please contact me at (605) 224-1694 extension 3.

Sincerely,

Sherri Donahey

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